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CAMPAIGN FINANCE DIVISION

 DATE: 5/28/2021 DOCKET #:

FILER INFORMATION

Name: Reginald L. Pitcher

Office: Councilman, Metro District 6 Parish: EAST BATON ROUGE Election Date: 11/3/2020

Level of Office: District

9470 EL Cajun Batan Rouge, LA 70815

REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: 10-G

Original Due Date: 11/25/2020

Date Filed: 12/3/2020 Activity Receipts: \$0

Expenditures: \$1,000.00

Funds at Close of Reporting Period: \$1,059.88

LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$480

Davs Late: 8

Late Fee Order Received: 3/1/2021

Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 3/21/2021

Waiver Request Received: 3/4/2021 Additional Information Requested:

- Medical

- Financial

- Other

COMMENTS: Candidate submitted waiver request by mail and states that he is requesting a waiver of this fee due to the unorthodox campaign he ran. His team consisted of family and he declined any financial contributions from PACS or special interest groups consequently resulting in his campaign being underfunded. He states that his daughter simply overlooked the reporting date and when she became aware of the oversight she corrected it right away. He said he currently has \$201.00 in campaign account and he is planning on donating it to the Belaire High School Track Team.

OTHER LATE FEE INFORMATION

Campaign Finance:

Other Outstanding Reports: No Other Outstanding Late Fees: No

Prior Late Fees: No Reassessed Late Fees: No

Disclosure Statements:

Other Outstanding Late Fees: No

Prior Late Fees: No

Rev. Reginald L. Pitcher, Sr.

March 3, 2021

9470 El Cajon Drive Baton Rouge, LA. 70815

RE: Late fee assessment for November 3, 2020 Election 10-G Campaign Finance Disclosure Report filed 8 days late.

Dear Ms. Horn:

This letter is in response to the Certified Letter I received on Tuesday, March 2, 2021 regarding the assessment of a late fee of \$480.00.

I am requesting a waiver of this fee due to the unorthodox campaign I ran this past November. While not making excuses, I would like to describe my situation regarding the late filing.

First, my team consisted of my wife (Public Relations), my eldest son (Campaign Manager), my youngest daughter (Campaign Secretary), and another son (Director of Outreach).

As you can see my team consisted of my family. I declined any financial contributions from Political Action Groups or Special Interest Groups, consequently resulting in my campaign being "underfunded."

My daughter simply overlooked the reporting date. When she became aware of the oversight, she corrected it right away. I am respectfully requesting that you not penalize our oversight and grant us a waiver of the \$480.00.

We have currently in our Campaign Account, \$201.00, of which we were planning to donate to the Belaire High School Track Team.

Any consideration given to this unfortunate situation would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Rev. Reginald L. Pitcher, Sr.

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